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My dear Shuttleworth.

As it is not absolutely certain that my friend Dr. Asa Gray, will have it in his power to deliver this letter I shall not make it more than an introductory one. Dr. Gray is Professor of Botany in the New University of the State of Michigan, & is on a scientific tour previous to entering upon his professorial duties. He is moreover engaged on a flora of America from Mexico to the Arctic Sea, in conjunction with Dr. Torrey. I need say no more to recommend him to all the kind offices of a brother of the Craft. I wrote in the Bot. Society's parcel, which you will have received before these lines are presented.

I am  
yours with great regard  
Robt Kaye Greville

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